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FLAG AND BANNER TO POST

**Handsome National Emblem
Presented to G. K. Warren Post by Woman's Relief Corps.**

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE

Last night, pursuant to published notices in the city daily papers, the members of G. K. Warren post No. 5, Grand Army of the Republic, not at J. W. Edwards' place of business on West Railroad avenue, there being present also some territorial Grand Army delegates and other visiting old soldiers.

After the transaction of regular post matters, the following resolutions on the death of Mrs. Custers was introduced and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Mrs. Custers, wife of our most worthy Comrade M. Custers, of G. K. Warren post No. 5, Department of New Mexico, Grand Army of the Republic, has been called away by death; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. Custers the community in which she lived has lost a worthy lady citizen, her husband a tender companion and the Woman's Relief Corps and the old soldiers a true friend.

Resolved, That our Comrade Custers shall ever have our warmest sympathy in this the time of his greatest sorrow.

After the introduction and adoption of the above resolutions, short speeches were delivered by several local and territorial veterans, after which Post Commander Harsch adjourned the last meeting.

FLAG AND BAN

NER PRESENTATION

The old soldiers then mingled together for a few minutes, telling some of their war experiences while waiting the arrival of the Woman's Relief Corps. The latter appeared at 8:30 o'clock, and soon thereafter Post Commander Harsch rapped for order. The old soldiers took seats on the west side of the room, while Mrs. L. H. Shook made her way to the organ. Officer of the Day Aaron Peffley then escorted the ladies to seats on the east side. Mrs. A. M. Whitecomb and Mrs. A. Harsch marching to the front, bearing aloft the handsome flag and banner respectively which the Woman's Relief Corps had secured to be presented to the G. K. Warren post No. 5. Several of the ladies carried miniature flags, and as the grand old national song "America" pealed forth these little flags were waved over the heads of those in whose hands they were held.

This was followed by Post Commander Harsch officially introducing the members of the Woman's Relief Corps, as a body, to the old soldiers, who acknowledged the honor by the usual salute from comrades.

All being seated, Mrs. Edwards stepped between the handsome flag and banner, and read off in clear and distinct words her presentation speech. Her address contained some valuable information and statistics on the good work accomplished during the war and since that great civil strife by the Woman's Relief Corps; the amount of money collected, donated and expended in the cause of sweet charity, and the present membership all over the country of the Woman's Relief Corps. That part of the address relative to the history of flags of the various nations, showing that the United States was the youngest of the big nations and still was the first to adopt a national flag emblem, was very interesting.

On the conclusion of her address Comrade Gibbs stepped forward and accepted the flag from the hands of Mrs. A. M. Whitecomb, while Comrade Warner took charge of the banner coming from Mrs. Harsch. During this performance the old soldiers, joined by the ladies, gave vent to their approval in a hearty cheering.

On the blue side of the banner are these words: "G. K. Warren Post No. 5, G. A. R., Albuquerque, N. Mex., 1883-1904." On the reversed side, on red silk, are these words: "Presented by W. H. C. No. 1, God Bless the Dear Old Boys." The banner is a most beautiful piece of work, with gold trimmings, and the staff surrounded by a golden eagle. The flag is silk, about the usual size used by Grand Army posts, and is likewise beautiful.

As the flag and banner were turned over to the G. K. Warren post, the Woman's Relief Corps, joined in by the old soldiers, sang that soul-stirring song "Star Spangled Banner."

This was followed by Commander

Edwards, on behalf of the old soldiers, reading the acceptance address as follows:

To the Ladies of the Banner and Flag Committee of G. K. Warren Corps No. 1, Auxiliary to G. K. Warren Post No. 5, G. A. R., and Friends:

At the request of our post commander, I have consented to respond to the beautiful tribute you have given to Old Glory and its history, and to the veterans of the Civil war, and especially to General Warren, whose name his post bears, and to G. K. Warren post itself. I will attempt in a feeble way to obey his command.

Ladies, friends and comrades, it is not often I talk back to a lady, especially to my wife, not often I have the last word, but this is the one time of my life, and I will attempt to answer her and the committee in behalf of our post.

Comrades Demarest then arose again, and, in a few pointed words, suggested harmony and good will, if anything to the contrary existed between the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, meaning the Woman's Circle.

The Red, White and Blue, one of the nation's stirring national airs, was then sung, after which a "Johnnie, meaning a rebel, was noticed in the hall, and he was invited to the front. It was Judge B. F. Adams, and the judge delivered a very humorous speech. It was well received, and the speaker was heartily welcomed.

Thus ended a most delightful evening to all the old soldiers, the Woman's Relief Corps and the invited guests.

PREFERRED DEATH TO IMPRISONMENT

ALAMOGORDO LAWYER KILLS HIMSELF WHEN ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

It develops that in the case of G. Hartley, who came to Alamogordo from South Dakota two years ago and has been practicing law in Alamogordo since, and who committed suicide last Saturday evening about 8:30 o'clock, the dead was caused by financial troubles.

Several months ago he misappropriated a sum of money, it is said, belonging to a client, evidently expecting to replace it before it would have to be turned in, but was unable to make good the money.

The grand jury found an indictment against him in the matter and Sheriff Hunter went to his office late Saturday afternoon to serve the papers. Hartley begged to be allowed a day or two in which to provide a bond, but Mr. Hunter told him to go with him and the details could be arranged later, whereupon Mr. Hartley asked for a moment in which to get his coat and was granted it. He stepped into a small room and instant later a pistol shot rang out and he had shot himself through the head.

He left several letters and had evidently been making preparations if the matter came to the worst. The deceased leaves a wife and young son provided with life insurance to the amount of \$2,000 apiece.

BALL PLAYERS ARRESTED

MEMBERS OF THE ALAMOGORDO CLUB ARE HELD IN EL PASO AND CHARGED WITH OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES.

Two Alamogordo base ball players, wanted in the New Mexico town for obtaining money under false pretenses, were arrested last night by the local police on information furnished by the officers of Alamogordo.

The young men are named C. R. Burge and John Martin, and have played in many games against the Colts in the past, their last appearance being on Sunday, when the El Pasoans contested with the Alamo.

The prisoners will be held awaiting trial from the Alamo.

J. F. Burniller, who has been a guest at the Alvarado the past two days, left last night for his home at Los Angeles. He had business with G. C. Jackson of the American Lumber company.

Mrs. L. T. Seely and her daughter, Miss Marion, of Winslow, Arizona, are in the city. Mrs. Seely will return to her home tomorrow, leaving her daughter here for osteopathic treatment under the care of Dr. C. H. Conner.

The Conclusion.

Mrs. Edwards, in arising, humorously doubted that Mr. Edwards would have the last word, and in a few next remarks invited the old soldiers to partake of dinner with the ladies at the meeting hall today. The ladies then sang "Marching

CIVIL WAR VETERANS

Second Day's Proceedings of the Territorial Encampment.

HENAN IS ELECTED COMMANDER

The territorial Grand Army encampment convened at Knights of Pythias hall at 10:30 this morning, pursuant to adjournment yesterday afternoon, being called to order by Department Post Commander Edwards, with Assistant Adjutant-General Mc Donald at his desk taking down the notes.

Music and song by the Woman's Relief Corps, after which the department commander read an invitation to visit St. Louis and participate in a meeting wherein Union veterans and Confederate veterans will join hands on some day during the World's fair and talk over the stirring events of the Civil war. The invitation was placed on file.

A letter was read from Comrade Samuel C. Meek of Socorro, regretting his inability to attend, and wishing a most profitable annual encampment of the department. The assistant adjutant general was requested to make an appropriate reply to Mr. Meek's letter.

The encampment received, with many thanks, a handsome bouquet of flowers from Mrs. P. H. Ross, daughter-in-law of ex-governor E. G. Ross, of New Mexico, for the past twenty odd years resident of this city.

Comrades Stover and Henan were appointed a committee to call upon our Judge W. D. Lee, who is sick, with a bouquet of flowers, and the good wishes from his old comrades for an early return to health.

Col. Francisco Perez, an old soldier of the Jemez hot springs, was present and spoke of the early history of soldier life in New Mexico, and the southwest in general.

It was moved by Comrade Stover, seconded by Comrade Henan, that the assistant adjutant general serve

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The report of the committee on finance, on the report of the assistant adjutant general and quartermaster general, was read and approved.

An interesting communication from the national headquarters was read and placed on file.

It was moved and seconded that the encampment now proceed to the election of officers.

Comrade Stover nominated Comrade Theo. W. Henan, of Tucumcari, for department post commander, while Comrade Simpson, nominated Comrade J. V. Consal of Las Vegas for the office.

A vote being taken, Comrade Henan was found to have a majority of the ballots, whereupon Comrade Consal moved, the motion being seconded, that the election of Comrade Henan for department post commander be made unanimous.

At this stage of the proceedings Comrade E. G. Ross, ex-United States senator of Kansas, and ex-governor of New Mexico, appeared in the hall, and the old soldiers gave him a warm reception.

Adjournment for the noon hour was then taken, and the old soldiers lunch with the Woman's Relief Corps.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the encampment reconvened and was still in session when The Citizen went to press.

ANOTHER DINNER

THE LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC ENTERTAINED AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL.

Pursuant to notice published in The Citizen yesterday afternoon, about 250 old soldiers, with the territorial encampment delegates, citizens and many ladies, called at the Odd Fellows' hall on South Second street and were served one of those good old-fashioned country dinners, with ice cream and cake as dessert, by the ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. It was a meal often road about, but especially during war times seldom enjoyed by the old soldiers; it was a meal good enough for kings and queens, and these potentates never enjoyed a meal any better than those who ate at Odd Fellows' hall from noon to 2 o'clock this afternoon. The ladies of this circle were out in force; in fact all the members seemed to be present, and Mesdames Jones, Marshall, Caldwell, Cochran, Winston, Pegan, Carson, Myers and Muggles, who superintended the culinary department, can be proud of their efforts today.

S. Holman, vice president and

traveling salesman of the Edgewood

Distillery company, was an Albuquer-

que visitor last night and left for the

all the old soldiers registered their names and Mrs. Hugh Allison, secretary, had charge of the registry book. She was also one of the polite and efficient waitresses at the tables. The following ladies assisted at the tables: Mesdames T. B. Drury, C. O. Cushman, Ed. Johnson, Harry Johnson, and Misses Cora Myers, Katie Drury, Mary McGuire and Ada Muggles. Punch was served, and Misses Blanche Fuller and Mac Muggles were in charge of the bowl.

The surveillance of the company of Indians is as sharp as ever. A strong force of deputies armed with six-shooters patrol the yards and watch the gates of the stockade. As yet there is no indication on the part of the company to open the stockade or to dispose with the service of the armed force of deputy sheriffs.

The number of men being served at the company's new cars inside the stockade is about 200. Two horses are consumed daily. The sanitary condition of the camp, which is being conducted in military style, is closely inspected every morning by Dr. J. B. Cutler, physician in charge of the local Santa Fe hospital. So far only one case of sickness has developed among the strike breakers.

The local post will meet at their hall post office at 8:30 and 10 o'clock. The special offed oak appointed dining room was extravagantly decorated with palms and potted plants. Vases of cut carnations and other fragrant flowers from California garnished the linen covered tables. Fifty medevac and their wives sat around the board and the witty pronouncements of the strike breakers were enthusiastically received. The menu consisted of fine courses.

The floats were: "The New Mexico Medical Society," E. B. Shaw, W. D. Las Vegas; "The Protection," Buford D. Black, Las Vegas; "Reunions," W. H. Tipton, Las Vegas; "The Board of Medical Examiners," G. W. Hartman; "The County Society," F. Purcell; "Our Guests," J. W. Elder; "The Ladies," (last, but not least) S. D. Swopes, Deming.

Local officials do not care to discuss the situation.

BRIDE, RICH AND A BEAUTY, GONE

YOUNG WOMAN WHO Eloped to Mexico GOES to LAWYER'S OFFICE WITH GUARDIAN BUT DOES NOT RETURN TO HUBBAND

A special program to the Denver News from El Paso, dated May 3, says:

Mr. H. H. Jochen, a bride of less than a week, is strangely missing, and her husband, a Denver drummer, is firmly convinced that she has been either kidnapped or unduly influenced to desert him. The police of both El Paso and Juarez are looking for the young woman, but up to the present time have no clue.

Last Thursday Jochen met Miss Lucy Chair Scott, a Virginia actress, and his old sweetheart, on the street here after a separation of three years.

Mr. Jochen, according to his story, was returning to Mexico to marry David J. Leahy, who served in the Rough Riders and who are well known to the president. In this connection it is claimed that if Mr. Mann should be successful, Lieutenant Leahy, who is now a resident of El Paso, will be appointed clerk of the court of the new district.

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It is reported that the chances of E. A. Mann, attorney of that town, who is a candidate for the appointment to the new associate judgeship recently created by an act of congress are brightening and are said to be very good. A writing is informed that Mr. Mann has assured the endorsement of many

for W. H. H. Llewellyn, Captain W. M. Dunn, Major Frederick Muller, Surveyor General M. G. Llewellyn and Lieutenant David J. Leahy, who served in the Rough Riders and who are well known to the president. In this connection it is claimed that if Mr. Mann should be successful, Lieutenant Leahy, who is now a resident of El Paso, will be appointed clerk of the court of the new district.

Mr. Jochen is only 20, and a beauty. Saturday she was induced to go alone to a lawyer's office to receive a transfer of her estate from her guardian. She kissed her husband of two days good bye, and promised to return in an hour. Since then he has not seen or heard of her, and is greatly worried.

Jose Candelaria, an old and respected citizen of Bernalillo county, died at his home just east of the Indian school last night of dropsy. He was 55 years of age and a native of New Mexico. He was an active member of the Mutual Protective society of Old Albuquerque, which organization will have charge of the funeral. The funeral services will be held at San Felipe de Neri church and burial at Santa Barbara cemetery.

PUSHING WORK VERY RAPIDLY

ON ALBUQUERQUE'S NEW ELECTRIC STREET CAR LINE

The two Eds are tearing up the earth. Yesterday they tore up Second street from the post office to Gold avenue, and today they are tearing up Gold avenue between Second and First streets. The adobe surface of the street, as hard as asphalt, breaks up pretty hard, but six strong and handsome Clydesdales from Trimble's stables manage to draw the plow through. Then and rain have been laid up Second street past the post office, and Mr. Ed Chadbourne, engineer in charge of construction, says that if the fill isn't too great, the road will be built right along at the rate of two blocks a day.

Ed Lavelle, the superintendent of construction, is the man that sights down the rail to see if it is in line. There is no harder man in town than he and everybody that comes near him must get busy.

The company is laying 40-pound steel (60 pounds to the yard) and the rails are spliced in yellow pine ties covered with two inches of earth.

The cars ordered are thirty feet long, with double trucks and will have a seating capacity of about forty passengers.

Hon. Jessie M. Sandoval, one of the big politicians of Sandoval county, is in the city today on business. He reports his section of New Mexico was fully dry, and like all sheep raisers, say that lambing this spring will not come up to the average for many years.

Mrs. Daniel Sprague is in Santa Fe visiting her mother Mrs. Agnes James.

MEDICAL BANQUET

Held Last Night at the Alvarado and It was a Royal Affair.

NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS

The twenty-third annual session of the New Mexico Medical society closed last night with a sumptuous banquet served between 8:30 and 10 o'clock. The special offed oak appointed dining room was extravagantly decorated with palms and potted plants. Vases of cut carnations and other fragrant flowers from California garnished the linen covered tables. Fifty medevac and their wives sat around the board and the witty pronouncements of the strike breakers were enthusiastically received.

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